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1. [redacted] the following observations concerning recent Satellite mercantile traffic with Albania:

- a. The Rumanian SS SULINA left Constanta [redacted] and arrived at Durres [redacted].  
[redacted]  
It is known that the ship effected loading operations. [redacted]

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- b. The Polish SS LECHISTAN, outward bound from Gdynia, arrived [redacted] at Durres, where it carried out unloading operations. It departed from Durres [redacted] arrived at Cagliari, where it was officially reported as arriving from Gdynia in ballast, no mention having been made of Durres.

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2. [redacted] there is reason to believe that in the voyage documents of the above vessels, which are known to have gone to Albania, destinations of a cover nature had been given. Soviet and other Satellite vessels [redacted] were found to have had correct destinations inscribed in the documentation. [redacted] for certain 50 Satellite ships which traffic with Albanian ports, official voyage documents are possibly being deliberately falsified to cover their trips to these ports.

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